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TEN CENTS A WEEK

FOR CUBA.

Two Resolutions Introduced in Congress.

JOE BLACKBURN PLEADED.

But Republicans are Not With Governor Bradley's Position.

THEY WANT AN EXTRA SESSION.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The air is full of talk of Cuba, and it will be a hard matter to hold congress in check. It will declare for Cuban independence if this keeps up.

Senator Cameron yesterday introduced the following resolution: "Resolved, By the senate and house of representatives that the independence of the republic of Cuba lies, and the same is, hereby acknowledged by the United States of America."

"Resolved, That the United States shall use its friendly offices with the government of Spain to bring to a close the war between Spain and Cuba."

Mr. Mills followed the Cameron resolution at once with the following resolution:

"Joint resolution directing the president of the United States to take possession of the island of Cuba and hold it until its inhabitants can institute such government as they may wish, and organize and arm and force as may be necessary to protect them against invasion."

"Resolved, etc. That the President of the United States is hereby directed to take possession of the island of Cuba with the military and naval forces of the United States and hold the same until the people of Cuba can organize a government deriving its powers from the consent of the governed, and arm and equip such military and naval forces as may be necessary to secure them against foreign invasion."

The Mills resolution was referred to the Foreign Relations committee.

BLACKBURN PLEADED.

But Republicans Not Pleased With Bradley's Position.

Washington, Dec. 10.—Senator Blackburn is greatly pleased over the position of Governor Bradley in calling an extra session. He confidently believes that he will be elected by the next legislature, if no extra session is held.

Congressman Evans and other Republicans are very anxious for an extra session and are kicking at the governor's delay.

A Big Damage Suit.

Anderson, Ind., Dec. 10.—A sensational damage suit for \$100,000 has been filed against Major Doney, of this city, by Miss Mattie Feland, alleging seduction and immoral conduct.

Fields and Atkins on Trial. Harlanville, Ky., Dec. 10.—The celebrated case of Fields and Atkins for the murder of Judge Combs in Perry county is on trial here. This is their second trial, having been sentenced to life imprisonment on the first.

WANTS \$2,000.

Suit for Damages Against the People's Line.

Mrs. Nancy Bailey Claims She Was Injured On Car.

Mrs. Nancy Bailey, of Roundtown, today filed suit against the People's Street Railway Company for \$2000 damages, for alleged injuries received sometime since near Third and Court streets.

According to the petition, the plaintiff was inside the car, waiting for it to start up, when another car came up in the rear, collided with it, and threw her upon her feet, inflicting injuries from which she says she has suffered ever since. She asks for \$2000 damages.

VIGILANTS

Make Things Lively Down in Marshall County.

Arrest Several Suspected Negroes and Give Them Ten Days in Which to Leave.

A posse of men of Marshall county, went to Burlington's mill on Clark's River, about seven miles from Paducah, night before last, and captured John Thomas, colored, suspected of being the assassin of Miss Lee Hampton, at Boone John's home near Sharp a few nights since. He was made to give an account of himself, and to do it quite for the past week, and this being satisfactory he was released and given ten days to leave the county or suffer death as a penalty.

Fifteen men then rode to the home of Frank Taylor, colored, at Sharp, and

the only other colored man of the neighborhood, and gave them ten days also in which to leave the neighborhood on pain of death. The vigilantes were masked and meant business. It is said that the colored people have gone, and that there is great excitement in that section of the country.

The posse was at last accounts after a colored man who crossed the Tennessee river in the vicinity of the attempted robbery or rape, which over the residents choose to believe it was. Some believe that Miss Hampton's assassin meant robbery, but the people of that locality have long nurtured a strong antipathy to the colored race, and may be using the occurrence as a pretext to get rid of what few colored people there are in the vicinity.

MAIL CAR BURGLAR.

Southern Mail Out of Paducah Probably Lost.

Big Five at Trimble, Tenn., This Morning at 4 O'clock.

A distressing blaze that may entail, so far as now can be learned, the loss of thousands of dollars, as well as an incomprehensible amount of correspondence, occurred this morning about 4 o'clock.

When the "barnen hall," No. 105, from Louisville to Memphis, which passed through Paducah over the I. C. at 3 o'clock this morning reached Trimble, Tenn., it was discovered to be on fire. How it caught could not be learned, or at least was not reported to the dispatcher's office here, but the flames completely enveloped the coach and as Newbern it was set off and there burned down to the ground.

Mail Agent Sam Harris escaped without injury, and managed to throw off a portion of the mail, but the greater part of it was reduced to ashes. The loss to the government cannot be estimated. In the mail car was all the southern mail from Paducah—all that had been passed from noon yesterday until midnight—and how much of this was not known at present. It is told that a lead ashore, of the local office, was then there was quite a great deal of mail out of Paducah on the train, and in addition there was mail from all points between Louisville and Paducah. There was nothing left of the car but the wheels and springs. An effort was made to reach a place where water could be obtained, but to no avail. The fire probably caught from a due. The number of the car was No. 7.

PARALYSIS.

Weather Observer Fell Stricken This Morning.

Is Now Better, However—Mr. R. C. White Dangerously Ill.

Weather observer Chas. Lee was stricken with some long like paralysis this morning, about 10 o'clock, down near the wharf here. He was driving a nail when his hand became numb, and he found he could not hold it, and his left side became paralyzed, and he felt his condition being covered by several men by the way, he went to the boat store, but could not find there or else for him. Mr. Lee's condition was very serious. Mr. Lee is now at home, but his condition is not so bad as reported.

YOUTHFUL THIEF.

Frank Hall Arrested by Chief Hall.

Confesses to Stealing a Diamond and Other Things.

Frank Hall, a colored boy about 12 years of age, who resides at the extreme west end of Madison street, was arrested by Chief Hall last night on a charge of grand larceny, and held over by Judge Sanders this morning.

About three weeks ago a line diamond ring and an amethyst ring and a pair of \$7 shoes were stolen from the residence of Mrs. E. W. Vaughan on North Seventh street, where the boy was employed. The matter was reported to the police, and Chief Hall is now investigating the case.

A night or two ago a small amount of money was stolen from the pocket of Messrs. Ed. Rivers and Ed. Vaughan. Among the change was a nickel buttoned up and suspicion rested on the boy, who was arrested on the Court street by the chief. The nickel was found in his pocket, and when he realized he was confessed. The things, which belonged to Miss Mildred Vaughan, were found in the possession of a sister of the boy at his home on Madison street.

This morning he confessed and was held over to the grand jury. Judge Sanders stated, however, that he was doubtful whether the boy could be indicted on account of his youthfulness.

FIVE YEARS EACH.

Heavy Sentences Get Smith and Abbott.

THEY STOLE SAW LOGS.

Two Rape Victims Indicted—Chas. Johnson on Three Counts for Cow Stealing.

COURT TAKES UP OTHER CASES.

Ed Smith and Thomas Abbott, the two young men placed on trial in the circuit court yesterday on a charge of stealing \$57 worth of logs and a clip of skin from Cements Bros., of Mechanicsburg, were today sentenced to five years each in the penitentiary. Neither exhibited a shadow of emotion when the verdict was read, which seemed to surprise the spectators, owing to the respectable appearance of the young men.

Yesterday afternoon when the Commonwealth insisted on introducing evidence the defendants withdrew their plea of guilty, and decided to contest the case. The sentence is a severe one, but the guilt of the accused was clear.

They were arrested by Marshall C. Couch, of Mechanicsburg, the day after the theft. One attempted to escape through the city, and the other by crossing the river in a skiff.

The grand jury returned five indictments.

They were against Chas. Johnson, colored, charged with cow stealing. Frank Jones, colored, was indicted for committing rape upon his daughter-in-law, Alice Mitchell.

George Weakley, a colored hack driver, was indicted on a charge of carrying a woman of Brooklyn near the bridge, on this side of the river.

This afternoon the court took up the case of Harrison Maxwell, charged with making only cutting Martin Davis.

A BEAUTIFUL OPENING.

Noah's Ark Makes an Attractive Display.

Music Enhances the Occasion and Big Crowds Throng Their Spore.

One of the most beautiful openings that Paducah has witnessed for many a day was yesterday evening at Noah's Ark. The holiday novelties in endless profusion filled the spacious saloon, and countless. It hardly seems possible that such a variety and number of a light, beautiful and low priced, can be gotten together in a room of that size. The open house orchestra furnished music for the occasion.

The crowds on the pavement were as large as those that filled the street. The window was decorated with a beautiful light scene while in the other two little larkies blew great big glistening soap bubbles.

Mr. Lane, the manager of Noah's Ark, and his assistant, Mr. Alonzo, deserve great credit for the success of the opening. Much of the beauty of the display was due to the excellent taste of their corps of efficient help.

The success of Noah's Ark in this city has been phenomenal. Manager Lane becomes for his success by his liberal and judicious advertising. He is a thorough believer in the value of a good ad.

This opening yesterday has been advertised in all the papers of the city and the large crowds that enjoyed the beauties of the occasion prove the manager's wisdom.

He is for Noah's Ark and Santa Claus.

LEM EY TESTIFIES

He Did Not Deny Killing Ben Lamb.

The Notorious Murder Case to Be Tried Today.

The murder case against John Lamb and Lem Ey is progressing more slowly, but likely will be finished today.

The woman in the case all swore that Lem Ey did the killing, and she reports that he denied it before the grand jury. Lem Ey himself was out on the witness stand late yesterday afternoon, and it is understood acknowledged to committing the deed, but claimed it was to save the life of the Lacey woman. The case will be given to the jury today.

IS JACKSON.

Higley, the Baking Powder Man, Supposed to Be There.

It appears that W. G. Higley, or the man who was implicated in the baking powder scheme here last week, is now an assumed name at Jackson, Tenn., and the name he gave here may have been fictitious also.

Yesterday Mr. L. Young, manufacturer of the "Royal Gem" baking

powder received a letter from "W. A. Eckwell," dated at Jackson, asking for lowest rate on 200 pounds of the baking powder. He stated that he desired that much, and if the figure was satisfactory, he could use much more, and would advertise it in every state in the Union.

Mr. Young chanced to have a tag upon which Higley had written an address, and by comparing the two perceived at once that the letter and address were written by one and the same man. He of course paid no attention to the communication, not desiring to become involved in any "fake."

HEAD FIRST.

Mr. George McGeehee, of the County, Seriously Hurt.

His Wagon Collided With a Transfer—Unconscious for Several Hours.

George McGeehee, of near Maxon's Mill, was the victim of a serious accident at 5 o'clock last evening. He came to the city to deliver some logs and started home late in the afternoon.

Near Sixth and Jefferson he turned to get something in the rear of the wagon, and while his face was turned the wagon, which was a small spring vehicle, collided with one of Livingston's big transfer wagons.

McGeehee was thrown out and struck on his head and shoulders, being rendered unconscious by the severe shock.

Dr. T. E. White was summoned and found him in an unconscious condition. He was given restoratives, but could give no account of himself, had forgotten his name and where he lived. He was provided with pillows by neighbors, and remained in that condition for some time on the sidewalk, near the scene of the accident.

Sheriff Holland finally passed and recognized the man, informing the doctor that his brother, Mr. W. B. McGeehee resided at 1214 Third street. He was carried there in the doctor's buggy, and remained in a semi-conscious state until about 10 o'clock. He is reported as somewhat better today.

WHAT AN EATER!

Something of What Andy Surratt Can Hold.

His Daily Diet Is Enough for Four Average Men.

Lockup Keeper Keller has perhaps the most ravenous eater in the state for a regular boarder. He is Andy Surratt, a muscular, vegabond who has been sentenced to thirty days on the chain gang twice for his dissolute habits.

His stomach must have the capacity of a cow's graveyard, and his voraciousness is a source of wonder to the keepers. A morning or two since, and in fact every day, "Twenty-four discs" seven large pieces of beef, four pieces of coffee, and a pot of molasses. For dinner he usually consumes a pan of cornbread, three pieces of beef, and anything else he finds handy. Some day he will eat the jail and chain he wears and go free.

HUNTING PARTIES.

Dr. Lang Goes Hunting With Some Cincinnati Gentlemen.

Some of the Goldenrod Crew Will Hunt Up the Tennessee River.

Dr. Jim Lang, of the city, left today for Ballard county, accompanied by Capt. J. P. Carter and Lieut. Davidson, of Cincinnati, the well known government boat officers, for a hunt. Dr. Lang will remain several days and be joined by friends later.

Mr. H. C. Dennis and wife left this morning on the light house tender Goldenrod for Tennessee river, as guests of Capt. Vandergift and Lieut. Com. Richards. They will be absent about a week and the gentlemen will enjoy a hunt while absent.

Testimonial No. 26.

What Henry Boyer says about Roncato Tonic. "I am over one year I have been sick with malaria fever, but I am now well, and I can go to work, but now after using one bottle of Roncato Tonic I am a well man and cannot say enough for Roncato Tonic, and wish all my colored friends would try one bottle. I know it will help them."

[Signed] Henry Boyer. Do as the gentleman says, reader: try it. A \$1 bottle for 25 cents. Office, 110 South Third street.

Latent By Telegraph.

General Thomas, a prominent merchant, of Denver, Col., died today of cancer bleeding.

Scarified Charley, a noted Indian died today at Seura, Mo.

Cliff Garnett killed two negroes today at a hog scalding near Clarksville, Tenn.

"CABLEGRAM."

Yesterday Afternoon the First Message Was Received From Illinois.

OPERATOR HOOVER TOOK IT.

The New Cable Works Like a Charm—Railroad Wires Being Strung.

THE POSTAL MAY HAVE A CABLE.

Kentucky and Illinois are now consistently connected by an electrical circuit at Paducah. Yesterday afternoon at the Western Union Office operator Hoover received at 2:10 o'clock the first message over the new submarine cable laid a few days ago beneath the Ohio. It came from Mcropolis, and the cable was found to work admirably. It is now regularly used, and wires are being strung to the Broadway dispatcher's office, where hereafter all trains over the St. Louis division will be reported. Hereafter nothing could be learned of the trains on this division until they arrived here.

Supt. B. S. Trice, of the Post-Telegraph company, was in the city this morning, and stated to a St. Louis reporter that the Post-Telegraph company was considering the possibility of laying a cable across the Ohio to Brooklyn, in order to better compete with the Western Union.

"As yet," he stated, "the matter has not been definitely settled, but will be in a short time. There has been considerable talk of it, and the company may conclude to do it."

At first it was supposed that the Post-Telegraph would have wires in the Western Union cable, but this proved to be incorrect. It is entirely probable that sooner or later the Post-Telegraph will find it necessary to put in a submarine cable, or else suffer from the superior facilities of its competitor.

MARRETS.

(Reported Daily by Lucy Grain Company.) Chicago, Dec. 10—December wheat opened at 74½, its highest point was 75, closed at 74½.

May wheat opened at 79½, its highest point was 79½, closed at 79½.

May corn opened at 20 and closed at 20½.

May oats opened at 20½ and closed at 20½.

January pork opened at \$7.60 and closed at \$7.60.

January beef opened at \$3.87 and closed at \$3.87.

January ribs opened at \$3.87 and closed at \$3.87.

Clearances in wheat and flour today 308,000 bushels.

Jan. cotton opened at \$7.26 and closed at \$7.26.

March opened at \$7.41 and closed at \$7.41.

There will be a candy pulling and oyster supper at the Second Presbyterian church on Friday evening, the 11th. Candy, 10 cents; oysters, 25c. Oysters will be served at any time after 5 o'clock.

An Enjoyable Party.

A reception was given last evening at 613 North Seventh street in honor of Miss Sylvia Downs, who celebrated her 16th birthday. There was a large crowd in attendance.

The Finest Line of Perfumes

Ever brought to Paducah is now displayed at

Nelson Soule's Drug Store.

You are cordially invited in.

GEORGE NOTT

THE TAILOR.

—Will make you a—

Nobby Fall Suit

or Overcoat.

CALL ON HIM.

NO. 333 BROADWAY

WHAT WE SAY WE DO WE DO DO!

We have an immense stock of TOYS of all kinds, and as we are determined not to carry over a single article we are selling all

TOYS AT COST.

Having no trash to dispose of, we need no "chin music"—our goods, marked in plain figures, speak most eloquently for themselves. For durability our toys cannot be equalled and all of them are selling WITH THE PROFIT LEFT OFF

GEO. O. HART & SON
303-307 Broadway.
109-117 N. Third St.
HARDWARE AND STOVE CO.
(INCORPORATED.)

Be Sure You're Right on Footwear

There are lots of tricks in the trade, and they are practiced more than you think, but not here.

This Store

makes you sure you're right. This Store guarantees you a safe investment for every dollar you put into the SHOE we sell you. It is a GOOD SHOE STORE, full of GOOD SHOES at PRICES that worry our competitors out of their sleep. You can rest easy when you buy your shoes of

321 Broadway. GEO. ROCK & SON.

Ladies and Misses

READ THIS AND THINK, and come and see for yourselves. We are going to offer some wonderful

CUT PRICES IN

LADIES' FINE SHOES

FOR THE NEXT 10 DAYS.

43 pairs of Ladies' Fine Shoes, regular price \$3 to \$3.50, go for only \$1.00

Call and select a pair before they are picked over.

ADKINS & COCHRAN,

Shoes bought of us Polished Free.

331 Broadway.

Can't Hold a Candle

"The fact of clothing some houses sell 'can't hold a candle' to the kind sold by the Oak Hall. There are STRONG POINTS about our clothes: The make, the fit, and the exclusiveness of a design. The fall and winter suits and overcoats which we are now selling are worn by the BEST DRESSED men and boys in Paducah, and they have gained a complete victory over all other makes for style and lowness of price."

50c.	Men's Suits \$7.50	Overcoats \$8.40	Men's Alpha Hats—gray, brown and black. They have wide
\$1.50			with bands and leather sweat bands. Yours now at choice for \$1.00.
			We have a line of "Harris" Cashmere Pants at
			\$2.50
			Men who have seen them say they're the best for the money.

Wallerstein Brothers, OAK HALL 3rd and Bdy. OAK HALL Wallerstein Brothers

JOS. PETTER, THE JEWELER,

Will appreciate your patronage. Handles everything in the

JEWELRY LINE.

REPAIR WORK A SPECIALTY.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

112 SOUTH THIRD STREET.

HENRY GREIF,

EXPERT HORSESHOER,

29 SOUTH FOURTH ST.

Expert Track Shoeing, Saddle and Harness Horses a Specialty.

CARRIAGE AND BUGGY REPAIRING.

(KENTUCKY OVER SHOP.)

EVERYBODY WANTS
CHRISTMAS GOODS.

At no time in the round year is there so attractive to you as now. Full preparation has been made to fit your gift-giving needs. The store has done its holiday attire and this you kindly welcome.

Holiday Handkerchiefs.

We have more than doubled our stock and selling space and shall make a bold push to fully double the sales in handkerchiefs over any previous season.

Men's hemstitched lawn handkerchiefs, good size and quality, for 50c each.

Men's all-linen hemstitched handkerchiefs at 15c and 25c.

Women's hemstitched and embroidered linen cambric handkerchiefs at 25c each.

Finer grade, daintiest embroidered and real lace handkerchiefs, from 50c to \$1.00 each.

A Pair of Kid Gloves

Makes an acceptable Christmas present. This department is now at its best. Here are a few hints from the big stock.

Men's lined dog skin gloves at 50c the pair.

Misses' five-hole kid gloves at \$1 the pair.

The new green, on the 1st and 2nd popular styles in white, black and navy blue, heavy stitched kid gloves at \$1.00.

White, black and navy blue, heavy stitched kid gloves at \$1.00.

Dolls! Dolls! Dolls!

Enough to gladden the hearts of all the little tots in town. The big display is attracting crowds of young people as well as children. You can satisfy the little ones' craving at a small cost if you buy here. Just four items out of many:

Jointed dolls with pretty faces and curly hair for 10c each.

Biisque headed, fancy dressed dolls for 25c each.

Kid body, biisque head dolls that open and close their eyes for 35c.

Silky haired, jointed biisque headed, prettily dressed dolls for 45c each.

Handsome Dress Goods.

Just to encourage sensible gift-giving and to advertise our dress goods department at this season, we cut a generous slice from their cost from now until Christmas. Nothing nicer for a gift than a handsome dress for wife, mother, daughter and sister.

Stylish silk and wool mixtures in checks, stripes and elegant effects, for 45c the yard.

Best heavy black and navy blue chevrons and broadwaist, 50 inches wide, for 45c, the regular price is 75c the yard.

Exclusive novelties in handsome dress patterns at holiday prices.

Books.

No more appropriate gift than a book. We have bought a lot of them and they must be sold by Xmas eve. Books of all kinds to suit all sorts of tastes, all elegantly bound in silk velvet cloth. The works of authors of world-wide reputation at the uniform price of 15c, never before offered for less than 25c.

Sterling Silver Novelties.

These pretty trifles are in great demand for gifts and we are selling them at prices to find ready purchasers, every piece bears the sterling stamp.

Shirt waist sets—studs, collar and cuff buttons for 49c.

Pocket knives, best steel blades, for 49c and 60c.

Elaborately carved scissors, three sizes, for \$1.49, \$1.69 and \$1.79.

Shoe Department.

In our shoe department you will find us abreast of the times with the style, quality and price. In our purchase for fall we have tried to combine, so far as practically, handsome goods with quality and are therefore prepared to show you stylish footwear and quality combined.

We Offer

Child's kid of grain, 5 to 8, 50c. Better one, same size, 80c.

Child's kid S. L. tip, 8 to 11, 75c. Misses' same 1 1/2 to 2 \$1.00.

KANGAROO CALF.

This is an elegant shoe for school use. \$1 to \$1.10, and 1 1/2 to 2 at \$1.25.

LITTLE GENTS' LACE.

We show an extra good shoe, size 9 to 13 1/2, at \$1.25.

BUNKER HILL SCHOOL SHOE.

We have sold this shoe for 10 years, and as evidence from surveys given in the past are good wearers. 8 1/2 to 11, \$1.10 to 2, \$1.25.

BOYS! BOYS!

We are showing a line specially made for boys. It is y and serviceable.

Our general line is full of value but mention as special bargains until closed—

\$1.00 boys' Ladies' Dongola Congress; former price, \$2.75 to \$4.

\$2.00 boys' Man's calf welt, lace only. Cheap at \$2.75.

\$1.50 boys' Man's extra heavy sole and tap. Cheap at \$2.

Bear in mind our shoe repair shop. We have an artist on this work, which we deliver to any address in the city, or drop us a postal and we will call for and return all repair work.

Ellis, Rudy & Phillips.

Wanted: A helper who is willing to solicit, with, and

Campbell-Mulvihill Coal Co.

210 S. Third Street. Telephone No. 13.

Pittsburgh and McHenry Coal,

The Best on the Market.

Metropolis Clippings for Kindling.

Pittsburgh Coke.

Mr. Fred Greif,

The well known baker lately of H. Gockel's, has bought the stock and fixtures of J. H. Thompson, the bakery on

SEVENTH AND WASHINGTON, and will henceforth be known as the

"Bon Ton Bakery."

Mr. Greif is well known here with many friends, and will no doubt prove successful in his new undertaking. Give him a share of your patronage.

LOCAL MENTION

"A beautiful display of china" is what they all said, at the holiday opening yesterday at Nook's Ark.

Have you seen the toy sewing machine at Nook's Ark. Watch it in operation next Saturday.

A Big Crowd There.

The dance given last night at Elks Hall by the young men's German club was well attended, and was another gratifying success to the club.

Warning.

Mr. L. Trice and Mr. P. L. Noble are my only authorized representatives soliciting for flash light batteries. All others claiming to represent my studio are impostors and frauds. W. G. McFARLANE.

Well Attended.

The supper and bazaar of the Luther League in the Milan building last night was well attended, and the proceeds were quite large. The affair was given for the benefit of the church.

20 Papers

for 6 cents, suitable for wrapping or to go under carpets, at this office.

FOR RENT—Furnished front room; centrally located. Address X, care Star.

Sunday School Supper.

The Sunday school class of Mrs. Rivers will give an oyster supper at the Christian church tomorrow night for the benefit of the church.

A beautiful display of holiday goods at Nook's Ark.

Removal.

We have removed our cleaning and dyeing establishment back to 329 South Third street, our old stand. We will be pleased to see our old friends and the patronage of all desiring first class work.

851 K. C. Rose & Son.

Congressional Committee Called.

The Democratic Congressional committee has been called to meet on the 23rd inst. by Chairman J. D. McConnet. The meeting will be for the purpose of electing a successor to Mr. W. P. Gullin as State Central committee man, and for any other business essential. Several gentlemen are mentioned for the place, among whom are Sam Molloy, of Kuttawa, and Dr. J. R. Luten, of Fulton.

A Nice Christmas Present

Would be a trunk, valise, satchel, telescope, cuff-box or pocket-book; any of them would be appreciated by either your gentleman or lady friends and being something to keep, would be a lasting, bug-to-be-remembered present. In giving us your patronage you are helping a home manufacturing, keeping the money in the city, and favoring one who will appreciate same. We make a specialty of repairing old trunks and valises. Come to see us. C. J. CROAN, 911 W. 208 Broadway.

A Popular Young Man.

Mr. Will Mather is now with John J. Bleich, and will be pleased to have his friends call. d10w1

Assessors' Sale.

Men's and boys' clothing, hats, caps and trussing goods, musical instruments, guns and pistols, will be closed out regardless of cost. No. 106 S. Second St. Columbia stand. 920 1/2 J. V. LUTHER, Assessor.

Preached to a Good Crowd.

Editor W. S. Smith, of the Lodi and department of the Christian Guide, preached to a good congregation at the Tenth Christian church last night.

There is nothing so good for the coughs and colds of the children and babies as Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey. It cures croup, whooping cough, cold in the head and gives sweet, refreshing sleep. It is pleasantly sweet to the taste. Any child will take it and ask for more. Good Druggists sell it. For sale by Oelschlaeger & Walker.

Read W. W. Kimball & Co.'s special announcement in today's issue. One entire week of rare musical entertainments free for all at the Kimball Piano Hall. "High-Class City Musicale" every evening beginning Dec. 8, at 6:30. FREE FOR ALL.

W. W. KIMBALL, Manager Special Sale.

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Lost manhood fully restored. Worth \$50 a bottle, but costs only \$1 a bottle. 100% bottle guaranteed to do the work. No cure, no pay. R. O. Tonic Co., 90 S. Third St.

Club Meetings.

The Magazine Club is meeting with Miss Julia Scott this afternoon, at Eighth and Madison.

The Afternoon Cinques Club postponed its meeting until next week.

PERSONALS.

Mr. Charles E. Curtis is in from a trip.

Col. T. J. Stahl, of "Pinhook," is in the city.

Mr. J. J. Helm, of Grayville, is at the Palmer.

Henry and Antonio Hedges went to Fulton this afternoon.

Mr. Marshall Wesson, of Massac, was in the city today.

Squire Nathan Frazier, of Elva, was in the city today.

Mr. Vincent McCain, of Sharpe, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. S. N. Leonard returned to Edysville this morning.

Col. Billy Perham went up to Princeton this morning.

Jack Randolph went down to Mayfield this afternoon.

Claim Agent Miller, of the Illinois Central, went to Chicago today.

Mr. A. J. Decker went up the I. C. railroad this morning on business.

Mr. E. W. Smith has returned from a business trip to St. Louis.

Mr. A. N. Clark went over to Grantsburg and Calve this afternoon.

Mr. J. D. McConnet went to Louisville last night on professional business.

Mr. J. H. Gonzales, of Key West, the cigar man, is at the New Richmond.

Mr. L. H. Helfer, the well known miller of Lowes, Ky., was in the city today.

Messrs. W. J. Ray and J. C. Espe, of Kuttawa, are at the New Richmond.

Col. Gus G. Singleton went into upper Kentucky on a brief trip this morning.

Mon. Chas. Reed and daughter, Miss Emma, left this afternoon for St. Louis.

Mr. Dave Lagomarsino has taken charge of the office at the New Richmond in daytime.

Mr. R. R. Pickering, of the Pickering Hotel, Princeton, is at the New Richmond.

Mrs. King and daughter returned to St. Louis this afternoon, after a visit to the Misses Gould.

Mr. W. T. Rolph, state agent for Dun's Agency, is in the city looking after the company's interests.

E. D. Therman, of the St. Nicholas Hotel, is confined to his room with a threatened attack of pneumonia.

Col. L. D. Hosbonds went down to Mayfield this afternoon to appear in the case of J. C. Tully against S. W. Cooley.

"The Man of the Iron Mask" troupe came in on the Dick Fowler from Cairo at 5 o'clock this morning. The troupe last over for it.

Mrs. Rosa Copeland and son arrived this afternoon from a visit up the I. C. and are guests of Mrs. George Harris. Mrs. Copeland is wife of Mr. Frank Copeland, editor of a Cartersville, Ill., paper.

IT WORKS.

The New I. C. Depot Plan is So Far a Success.

The Illinois Central experiment with passenger trains seems to give satisfaction. The six yesterday noted the change that had been made in running the trains into the Union depot head first, instead of backing them.

The plan will be carried out only with the big ten-wheelers, which cannot get around the Ninth street "Y." The other trains will back in as heretofore.

Christmas Day at Nook's Ark.

Next Saturday Santa Claus will arrive at 2:15 and collect his mail to Santa Claus' mail box at Nook's Ark door. He will read his mail and will afterwards be seen in Nook's Ark window working in Wonderland on a Christmas tree.

Here is one of the letters received yesterday for Santa Claus:

Dear Sweet Santa Claus:—I want a shot gun, a live chicken, a live vilon, a magnet, a little bee, a little cart with a horse to it, a game pig in the pen, a big tin engine with a big bell on it, some blocks, a drum, Santa Claus, I have seen the other things down town, and some day I will write you all what I want; some cooly and oranges, and a package of the crackers. Goodbye.

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DEATH AT BENTON.

Mrs. J. W. Dycus Dies of Congestion.

Mrs. Bettie Dycus, wife of Jud J. W. Dycus, of Benton, died this morning of congestion of the bowels, after a several days' illness. She was surrounded by her family, and relatives from Murray.

The deceased was thirty years old, and she was daughter of Mr. Holland, of Murray.

The remains will probably be taken there for interment.

Club Meetings.

The Magazine Club is meeting with Miss Julia Scott this afternoon, at Eighth and Madison.

The Afternoon Cinques Club postponed its meeting until next week.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

Items of Interest Relative to the Railroads and Railroad People.

S. C. AND ST. L. MILEAGE.

Brakeman John Hall was out this a. m. for the first time after a spell of pneumonia.

Fireman Frank Schraven is laying off with a swollen wrist. Bob Waynick is his substitute.

Mr. Fred Vent, a former clerk in the freight office here, is now the night owl at Lexington.

Switchman W. A. Perry in charge with Beck and Frank Mortblaud make a rattling switch gang.

Engineer A. S. Cline takes a lay off this trip and Sam Lowe will tackle the 53 in his place.

W. E. Franklin, the car repairer who has been off so long with a splinter in his hand is at work again.

Mr. W. Edmondson, a former employee at Jackson in the city. It may be that "Bob" will come back to this city to reside.

Charlie, "Old Dad" Ritter, who has been ill at his home in Paris, Tenn., is reported out again and will catch his run at Memphis next trip.

Brakeman John Hall, Night Hostler John Soenberg and Yardmaster Jack Mortblaud are still off duty on account of sickness, though all are reported better.

Shipments of livestock are getting to be quite numerous over this line. Nearly every freight train carrying has from two to four car loads. It is mostly Chicago bound.

Engineer Ben Rodgers went out on his run again this a. m. having pleasantly located his wife and himself at one residence of E. E. Wence in Lexington.

The father of Mr. C. G. Gathings the agent at Lexington died at his home in Prairie, Miss., yesterday. Mr. Gathings left yesterday to attend the obsequies.

The office of the master mechanic is a model of neatness and convenience now, all the work of Space Castle since his return home and resumption of his duties.

The 122, with Duffey and Hicks as her pilots, left on train 108. She tanks away up to "G," and climbs the big hills with a long string as easily as an antelope.

Inquiry failed to develop any amount of interest relative to what was done at Nashville yesterday by the stockholders, other than what has appeared in the papers.

Joe Habacker is still on the 68, and says she is a regular "wind splitter." He turns her over to "Old Dad" when he gets back to Memphis and will gossip the Johnson bar on the 307, his regular steel.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Coombs, of Bowling Green, arrived last night on a visit to their daughters, the wives of Brakeman Frank Hoggwood and W. Lewis, and will stay until after the holidays.

"Annie Marie," the wife of Bob Dobby a former employee has been quite sick for several weeks but is better today. Many of the railroad people will be glad when "Annie Marie" recovers for they miss her nicely launched gait.

Born to the wife of Brakeman Wm Lewis at 8 o'clock this morning, a blue boy baby. Mr. Lewis was out on his train, but the advent of the little stranger was wired him and he looked for on the next train. Fortunately Mrs. Lewis' parents arrived last night.

The pay car will roll in at the usual hour this afternoon. Conductor Tucker and Engineer Ritten always take a great delight in not disappointing the boys, and bring the treasury car in on the dot. Mr. Glenn, the popular paymaster, is as clever as they, and deals out the money as fast as a chess ticket seller can gather in the coins from the small boys and appreciative coon.

Miss W. E. King, and bride, nee Miss Alice Ware, of Murray, came in on Conductor Fulton's train this morning. "Bride" looked as happy as a cupid bird set free. The Misses Glover, Mayle and Madley, who went up yesterday to attend the nuptials, returned with them. After today Mr. and Mrs. King will be at home at the residence of Wm. Kane on South Fourth street.

FRANCIS MILLIGEN.

May Get Out of the Penitentiary Soon.

Attorney Oscar Kahn went up to Edysville on business. Mr. Kahn is Francis Milligen's lawyer, and at this time of the court now in session at Edysville will attempt to have Milligen liberated on the plea of insanity by a writ of habeas corpus.

Milligen was sent up for life for wife murder, and escaped hanging only on account of his mental condition. He is subject to epileptic fits, and all the prison officials know that he is insane. Mr. Kahn has for some time contemplated getting out a writ, and will now likely lose no time in doing it.

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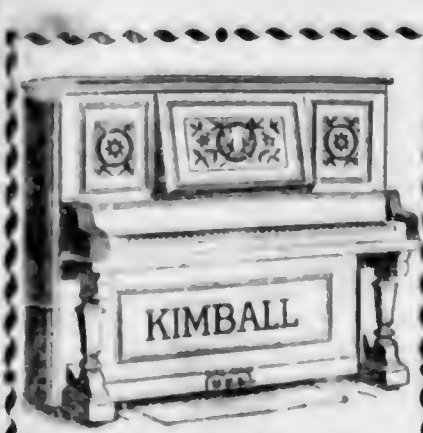
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MARRIAGES.

A Couple From Lyon County Tied Up

Judge Thomas Adjourned Court The Smith-Ross Wedding.

Miss Lange Ladd and Mr. C. F. Johnson, of Lyon county, entered the county court room yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock and found court in session.

Love laughs at such trivial obstacles as these, however, and as the young people desired to be married, County Judge Thomas readily obliged them by adjourning his court until the knot could be tied.

The marriage of Mr. Wm. Smalley to Miss Jennie E. Ross took place at 8:30 o'clock last night at the residence of the bride's father.